

from, through, in or across this State, or any part thereof, money, packages, gold, silver plate, merchandise, freight or other articles, under any contract, expressed or implied, with any railroad company or the managers, lessees, agents or receivers thereof (provided such joint-stock association, company, copartnership or corporation is not a railroad company), shall be deemed and held to be an express company within the meaning of this act: and every such express company shall, annually, between the first day of June and the twentieth day of June, make out and deliver to the Corporation Commission of this State a statement, verified by the oath of the officer or agent of such association, company, copartnership or corporation making such statement, with reference to the thirtieth day of April next preceding, showing:

Sworn statement  
to be filed.

First. The total capital stock or capital of said association, copartnership or corporation. Total capital.

Second. The number of shares of capital stock issued and outstanding and the par or face value of each share; and in case no shares of capital stock are issued, in what manner the capital stock thereof is divided and in what manner such holdings are evidenced. Number of shares  
outstanding and  
par value.  
Division of capital  
if no shares  
issued.

Third. Its principal place of business. Principal office.

Fourth. The market value of said shares of stock on the thirtieth day of April next preceding; and if such shares have no market value, then the actual value thereof; and in case no shares of stock have been issued, state the market value, or the actual value in case there is no market value, of the capital thereof, and the manner in which the same is divided. Market value of  
shares.  
Actual value if  
no market value.  
Value of capital if  
no shares issued.

Fifth. The real estate, structures, machinery, fixtures and appliances owned by the said association, company, copartnership or corporation and subject to local taxation within the State of North Carolina, and the location and assessed value thereof in each county where the same is assessed for local taxation. Property subject  
to local taxation,  
with location and  
value.

Sixth. The specific real estate, together with the improvements thereon, owned by the association, company, copartnership or corporation situated outside the State of North Carolina and not used directly in the conduct of the business, with a specific description of each such piece, where located, the purpose for which the same is used, and the sum at which the same is assessed for taxation in the locality where situated. Real estate outside  
of State.

Seventh. All mortgages upon the whole or any part of its property, together with the dates and amounts thereof. Mortgages on  
property of com-  
pany.

Eighth. (a) Total length of the line or routes over which such association, company, copartnership or corporation transports such merchandise, freight or express matter; (b) the total length of such lines or routes as are outside the State of North Carolina; (c) the length of such lines or routes within each of the counties or townships within the State of North Carolina. Total mileage  
used by company.  
Mileage outside  
this State.  
Mileage within  
State by counties  
and townships.